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PHOTOGRAPHIC INTELLIGENCE BRIEF

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B.E. NUMBER:

INSTALLATION: Saki Airfield

LOCATION:

Saki, USSR

WAC NO:

25X1A

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BRIEF NO.: B-28-56

DATE:

18 September 1956 45° 06' N 33° 36' E

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PHOTO DATA:

REFERENCES:

Target Mosaic:

Maro:

Other:

None

None

ENCLOSURES: None

REMARKS:

Reports that SAKI Airfield is an experimental aircraft test center are not confirmed by a study of recent aerial photography.

SAKI Airfield is an operational medium bomber base. 75 Beagles (IL-28) were observed on the field.

Since World War II this airfield has undergone considerable expansion. The main concrete NE/SW runway now measures approx. 6700'x 275'. Parallel to the concrete runway is a 6000'x 240' sod runway. Construction of new taxiways, hardstands, revetments, and buildings is still in progress, but buildings typical of testing or experimental activity were not noted.

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